



# **Sessions 3-5:**

VA TMS Training for Domain Managers, Learning Managers, and Item Managers

VA TMS Administrators Role-Based Training

Virtual Instructor-Led Training
Participant Guide

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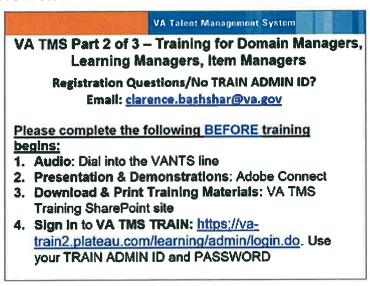
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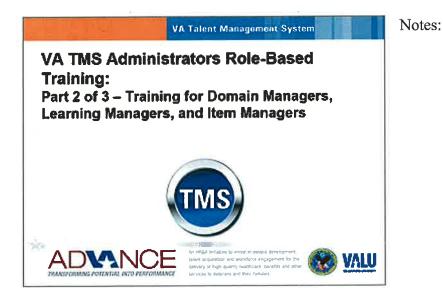


# 3.0 Training Content: Session 4 (Part 2 of 3)

#### 3.1 Welcome



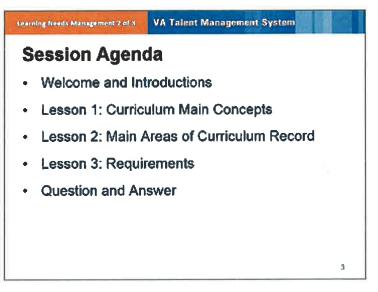
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Slide 2: VA TMS Administrators Role-Based Training:
Part 2 of 3







Slide 3: Session Agenda

Session Objectives

After completing this session, you will be able to:

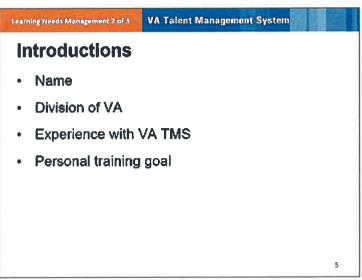
Create, configure, and modify curricula, including adding subcurricula and requirements

Configure and modify event-based retraining dates for items within curricula

Slide 4: Session Objectives







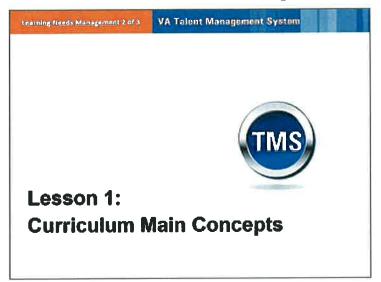
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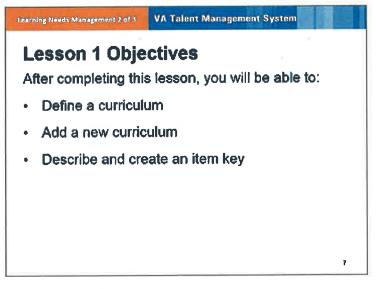


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## 3.2 Lesson 1: Curriculum Main Concepts



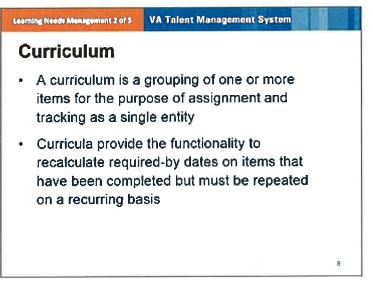
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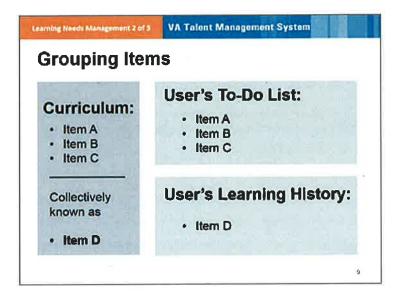
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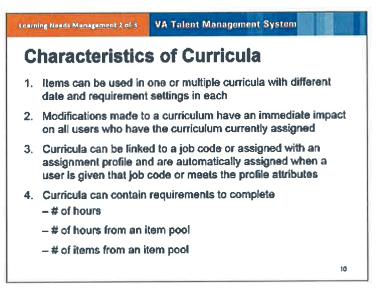
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Slide 9: Grouping Items

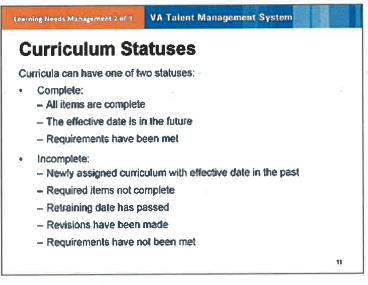






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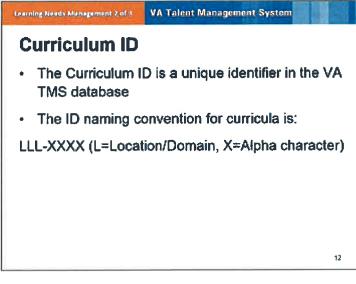
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Slide 11: Curriculum Statuses

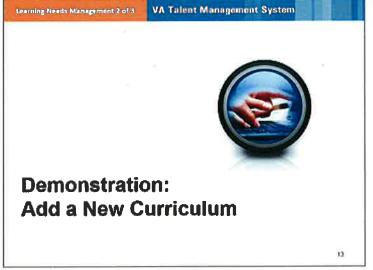






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Slide 12: Curriculum ID



Slide 13: Demonstration: Add a New Curriculum









#### **Demonstration: Add a New Curriculum**

- 1. Navigate to Learning > Curricula.
- 2. Select Add New.

**NOTE:** You can also enter **Add Curriculum** into the Search field below the button bar and select **Go**.

- 3. Enter a curriculum ID.
- 4. Enter a title for the curriculum.
- 5. Enter a description of the curriculum, if desired.
- 6. Leave the creation date set to the default.
- 7. Select a domain.
- 8. Select a curriculum type from the drop-down menu.
- 9. Leave the Force Incomplete checkbox unchecked.

**NOTE:** When you select the Force Incomplete checkbox, the system calculates whether the status should be complete or incomplete based on the user's latest attempt at completing the item. If the user's latest attempt is incomplete, the system calculates the expiration and required dates based on the date and time of the last unsuccessful attempt.

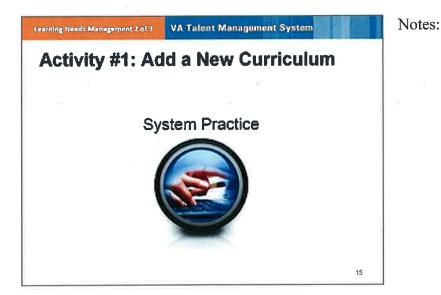
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Slide 14: System Login



Slide 15: Activity #1: Add a New Curriculum









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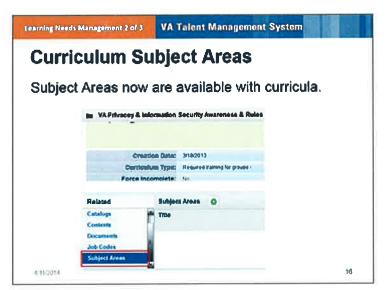
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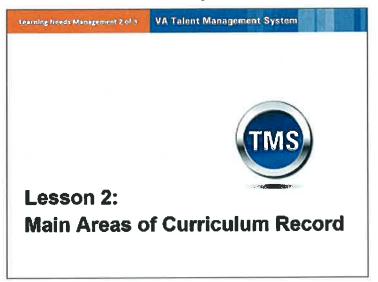


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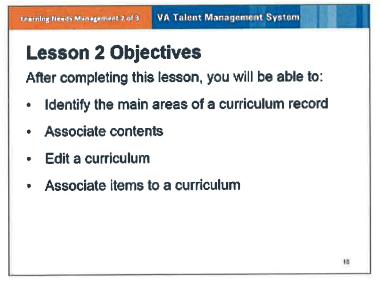




## 3.3 Lesson 2: Main Areas of Curriculum Record



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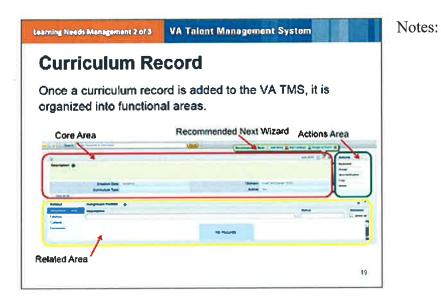


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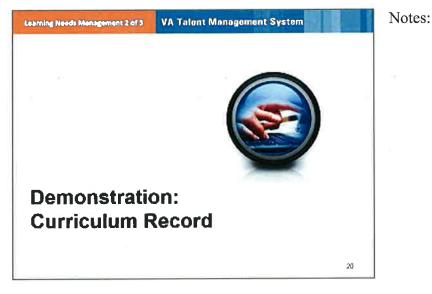
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Slide 19: Curriculum Record



Slide 20: Demonstration: Curriculum Record







#### **Demonstration: Curriculum Record**

- 1. Navigate to Learning > Curricula.
- 2. Select Search.
- 3. Select a curricula from the search results. Once the curriculum record displays, show the following sections on the three main areas of the curriculum record:

**Core Area:** The Core area contains the basic curriculum record information, including curriculum title, ID, description, and type. To edit a field in this area, select in a displayed field and enter text or select a reference value (depending on the field type). Once expanded, the screen displays the following sections where updates can be made:

- Title
- Description
- Summary
- Extended Summary (used by regulated organizations for CFR21 Part 11)

**Related Area:** The Related area of the curriculum record contains additional information regarding the curriculum. Select the **Related** tab on the left (i.e., Assignment Profiles) to display the details on the right.

**Actions Area:** The Actions area of the curriculum record contains links to additional actions that can be taken on the curriculum record, including:

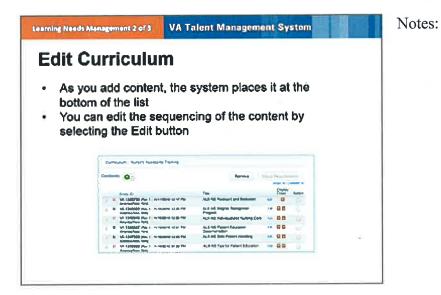
- Assign (initiates the batch assignment wizard)
- Send Notification (initiates the ad hoc notification wizard)
- Copy
- Delete





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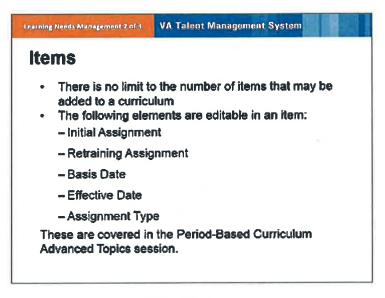
Slide 21: Associating Contents



Slide 22: Edit Curriculum

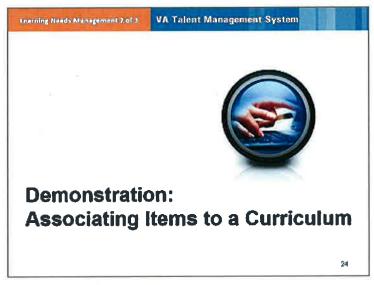






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Slide 23: Items



Slide 24: Demonstration: Associating Items to a Curriculum





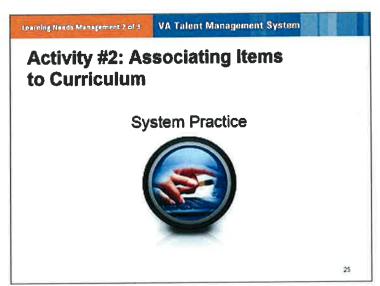


#### Demonstration: Associating Items to a Curriculum

- 1. Access the curriculum created previously in Activity #1.
- 2. Select the Online Content tab in the Related area.
- 3. Select Edit.
- 4. Select the Add Content button.
- 5. Select **Items** from the drop-down menu.
- 6. Enter criteria in the keyword field to search for the items to include in the curriculum.
- 7. Select Search.
- 8. Check the **Add** checkbox next to each item to add to the curriculum.
- 9. Select Add. The selected item(s) is(are) added to the contents list.
- 10. Select the **Edit** link next to the last listed item.
- 11. Enter initial assignments (number and period).
- 12. Select an initial basis (event).
- 13. Do not enter retraining assignments.
- 14. Enter a basis date (if not defaulted) and an effective date (use the current date).
- 15. Select an assignment type. Select **Required (REQ)**.
- 16. Select Apply Changes.
- 17. Select the **Move Up** arrow and **Move Down** arrows to sequence the curriculum content. This sets the suggested order display for users.
- 18. Select the X to close the Edit window and return to the curriculum record.







Slide 25: Activity #2: Associating Items to Curriculum









## Activity #2: Associating Items to Curriculum

- 1. Access the curriculum created previously.
- 2. Select the **Contents** tab in the Related area.
- 3. Select Edit.
- 4. Select the Add Content button.
- 5. Select **Items** from the drop-down menu.
- 6. Enter criteria in the keyword field to search for the items to include in the curriculum.
- 7. Select Search.
- 8. Check the Add checkbox next to each item to add to the curriculum.
- 9. Select Add. The selected item(s) is added to the contents list.
- 10. Select the Edit link next to the last listed item.
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- 13. Do not enter retraining assignments.
- 14. Enter a basis date (if not defaulted) and an effective date (use the current date).
- 15. Select an assignment type. Select Required (REQ).
- 16. Select Apply Changes.
- 17. Select the **Move Up** arrow and **Move Down** arrows to sequence the curriculum content. This sets the suggested order display for users.
- 18. Select the X to close the Edit window and return to the curriculum record.





#### 3.4 Lesson 3: Requirements



Slide 26: Lesson 3: Requirements

Lesson 3 Objectives
After completing this lesson, you will be able to:

Describe requirement-based curriculum

Define requirements

Describe subcurricula

Create a curriculum hierarchy

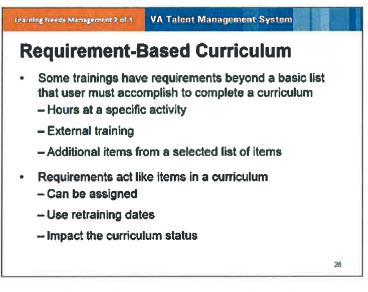
Add curriculum to a catalog

Slide 27: Lesson 3 Objectives



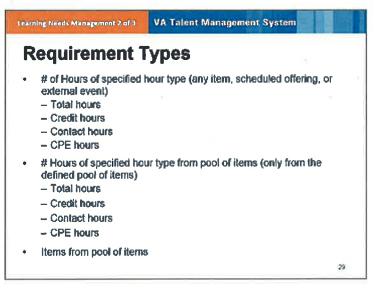






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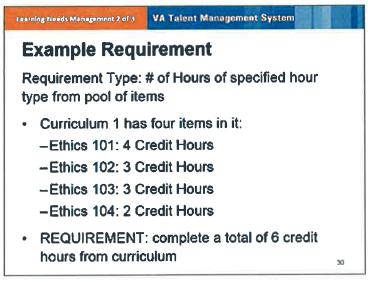


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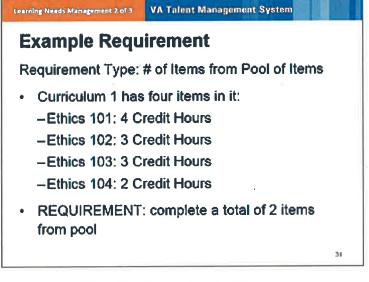
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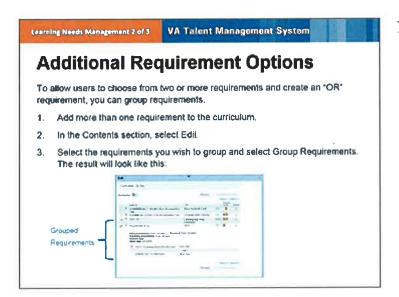
Slide 30: Example Requirement



Slide 31: Example Requirement







Slide 32: Additional Requirement Options

Subcurricula

The Subcurricula option is used to create a hierarchical structure between two or more curricula

Safety Electrician

Parent curriculum

Subcurriculum

Subcurriculum

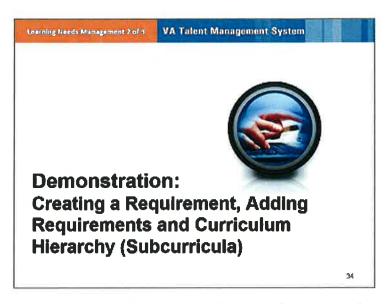
Subcurriculum

Slide 33: Subcurricula









Slide 34: Demonstration: Adding Requirements and Subcurricula







# Demonstration: Creating a Requirement, Adding Requirements and Curriculum Hierarchy (Subcurricula)

#### Create a Requirement

- 1. Navigate to Learning > Requirements.
- 2. Select Add New.
- 3. Select # Items from Pool of Items from the Requirement Type drop-down menu.
- 4. Enter a requirement ID.
- 5. Enter a requirement description.
- 6. Select a domain ID.
- 7. Enter the creation date.
- 8. Leave the Active checkbox checked.
- 9. Enter any comments, as desired.
- 10. Select Next.
- 11. Enter the required number of items the user must complete from the pool.
- 12. Select the add one or more from list link, located under Create Item Pool
- 13. Enter criteria to search for items to add to the requirement pool.
- 14. Select Search.
- 15. Check **Add** next to each item to add to the pool.
- 16. Select Add.
- 17. Verify the selected items are listed in the Item Pool for Requirement section.
- 18. Select Apply Changes.
- 19. Select "X" to close the pop-up window.

#### Add a Requirement to a Curriculum

- 1. Navigate to Learning > Curricula.
- 2. Enter criteria for the curriculum to which to add requirements.
- 3. Select Search.
- 4. Select Curriculum ID to which to add a requirement.
- 5. Select the **Contents** tab from the Related area.
- 6. Select Edit.
- 7. Select Add Content.





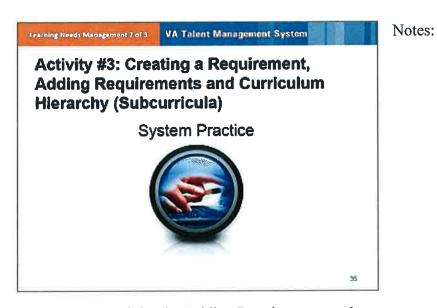
- 8. Select **Requirements** from the drop-down menu.
- 9. Enter criteria to search for the desired requirements.
- 10. Select Search.
- 11. Check Add next to each requirement to add.
- 12. Select **Add**. The new requirement is added to the bottom of the list on the Curriculum Contents tab.
- 13. To make the requirement required, select the **Edit** link and enter initial, retraining, and effective date information for each requirement. Setting an effective date makes the requirement "required."
- 14. Select Apply Changes.
- 15. Optional: To group requirements: If more than one requirement is added to the curriculum, check Select next to the requirements to group.
- 16. Select Group Requirements.
- 17. Enter group description, initial training, retraining assignment information, and effective date.
- 18. Select Create Group.
- 19. The new requirement group is added to the bottom of the list on the Curriculum Contents tab.

#### Create a Curriculum Hierarchy (Subcurriculum):

- 1. Using the curriculum created in Activity #1, select the Contents tab in the Related area.
- 2. Select Edit.
- 3. Select the Add Content button.
- 4. Select Subcurricula from the drop-down menu.
- 5. Enter criteria in the keyword field to search for the curriculum to add as the subcurricula.
- 6. Select Search.
- 7. Check the Add checkbox next to each curriculum to add as the subcurricula.
- 8. Select Add. The subcurricula is added to the bottom of the contents list.







Slide 35: Activity #3: Adding Requirements and Subcurricula





# Activity #3: Creating a Requirement, Adding Requirements and Curriculum Heirarchy (Subcurricula)

#### Create a Requirement

- 1. Navigate to **Learning > Requirements**.
- 2. Select Add New.
- 3. Select # Items from Pool of Items from the Requirement Type drop-down menu.
- 4. Enter a requirement ID.
- 5. Enter a requirement description.
- 6. Select a domain ID.
- 7. Enter the creation date.
- 8. Leave the Active checkbox checked.
- 9. Enter any comments, as desired.
- 10. Select Next.
- 11. Enter the required number of items the user must complete from the pool.
- 12. Select the add one or more from list link.
- 13. Enter criteria to search for items to add to the requirement pool.
- 14. Select Search.
- 15. Check **Add** next to each item to add to the pool.
- 16. Select Add.
- 17. Verify the selected items are listed in the Item Pool for Requirement section.
- 18. Select Add.

#### Add a Requirement to a Curriculum

- 1. Navigate to Learning > Curricula.
- 2. Enter criteria for the curriculum to which to add requirements.
- 3. Select Search.
- 4. Select Curriculum ID to which to add a requirement.
- 5. Select the **Contents** tab from the Related area.
- 6. Select Edit.
- 7. Select Add Content.
- 8. Select **Requirements** from the drop-down menu.





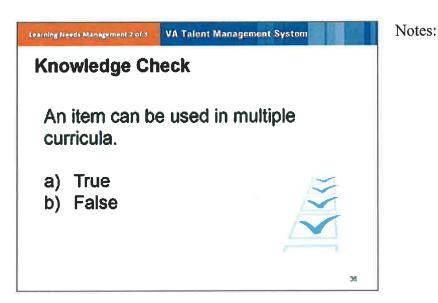
- 9. Enter criteria to search for the desired requirements.
- 10. Select Search.
- 11. Check Add next to each requirement to add.
- 12. Select **Add**. The new requirement is added to the bottom of the list on the Curriculum Contents tab.
- 13. To make the requirement required, select the **Edit** link and enter initial, retraining, and effective date information for each requirement. Setting an effective date makes the requirement "required."
- 14. Select Apply Changes.
- 15. Optional: To group requirements: If more than one requirement is added to the curriculum, check **Select** next to the requirements to group.
- 16. Select Group Requirements.
- 17. Enter group description, initial training, retraining assignment information, and effective date.
- 18. Select Create Group.
- 19. The new requirement group is added to the bottom of the list on the Curriculum Contents tab.

#### Create a Curriculum Hierarchy (Subcurriculum):

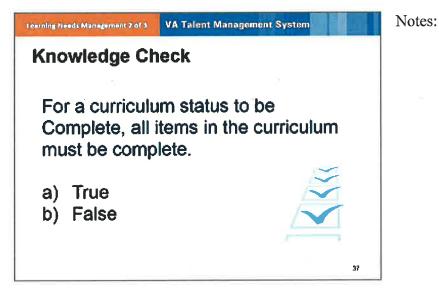
- 1. Using the curriculum created in Activity #1, select the Contents tab in the Related area.
- 2. Select Edit.
- 3. Select the **Add Content** button.
- 4. Select Subcurricula from the drop-down menu.
- 5. Enter criteria in the keyword field to search for the curriculum to add as the subcurricula.
- 6. Select Search.
- 7. Check the Add checkbox next to each curriculum to add as the subcurricula.
- 8. Select Add. The subcurricula is added to the bottom of the contents list.







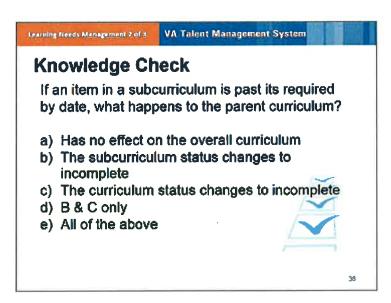
Slide 36: Knowledge Check



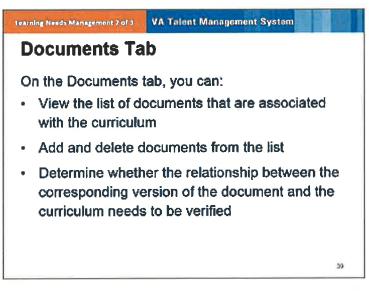
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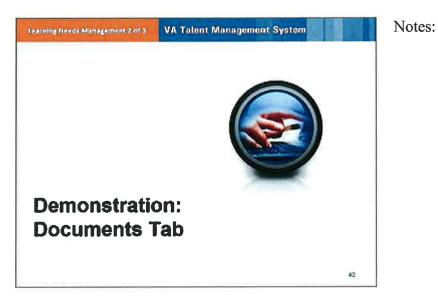
Slide 38: Knowledge Check



Slide 39: Documents Tab







Slide 40: Demonstration: Documents Tab









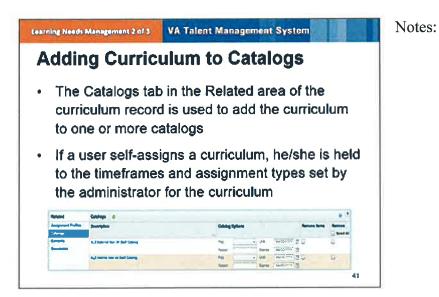
**Demonstration: Documents Tab** 

Simply show the location of the Documents tab—you do not need to add a document.

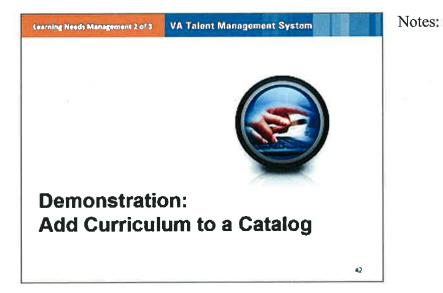
To do this, navigate to **Content > Documents.** 







Slide 41: Adding Curriculum to Catalogs



Slide 42: Demonstration: Add Curriculum to a Catalog



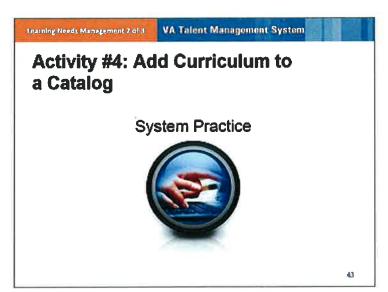


### **Demonstration: Add Curriculum to a Catalog**

- 1. Using the curriculum created in Activity #1, select the Catalogs tab in the Related area.
- 2. Select the Add New Catalogs button.
- 3. Enter keyword: User and select Search.
- 4. Check the **Add** checkbox next to any LMS user catalog. **NOTE:** The **Add Schedules** checkbox should be checked if you also want to add all items contained in the curriculum to this catalog.
- 5. Select Add.
- 6. Verify that the selected catalog is displayed.
- 7. Select the Flag drop-down menu.
- 8. Select New from the drop-down menu.
- 9. Select the Until calendar icon.
- 10. Select the last date to display the flag. **NOTE:** This date determines when the curriculum is to be automatically removed from the catalog. It is removed by the purged expired catalog APM (Assignment Profile Manager).
- 11. In the Reason field, enter why this curriculum is flagged (user viewable).
- 12. Select Save.







Slide 43: Activity #4: Add Curriculum to a Catalog









## Activity #4: Add Curriculum to a Catalog

- 1. Using the curriculum created in Activity #1, select the Catalogs tab in the Related area.
- 2. Select the Add New Catalogs button.
- 3. Enter keyword: User and select Search.
- 4. Check the Add checkbox next to any LMS user catalog.

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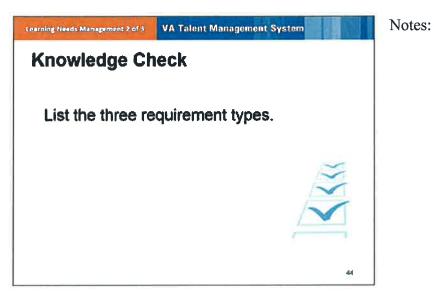
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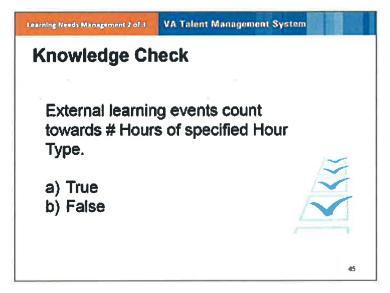
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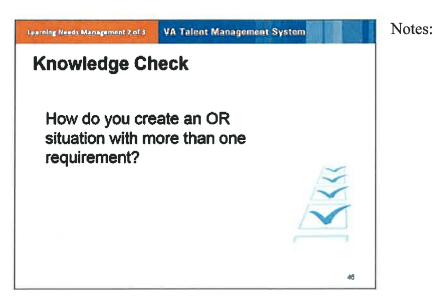
Slide 44: Knowledge Check



Slide 45: Knowledge Check







Slide 46: Knowledge Check

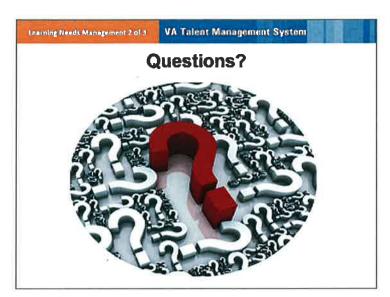


Slide 47: Evaluation & Self-Certification Reminder









Slide 48: Questions?



